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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER (37 C.F.R. § 1.136(A))

Applicant(s) in the above-identified application hereby petition(s) for a five-month extension of time to and including March 8, 2004 (March 6, 2004 being a Saturday) for responding to the Office Action mailed March 3, 2003. This response is being filed in lieu of an Appeal Brief in view of the Notice of Appeal filed August 4, 2003 (received by the Patent Office August 6, 2003). A response to the Office Action accompanies this Petition.

A check in the amount of \$1,005.00 is enclosed herewith.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 50-1017 (Billing No. 208743.0025 as noted below. A duplicate copy is enclosed.

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